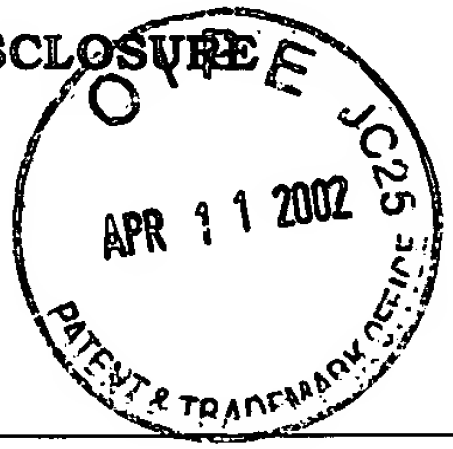


RECEIVED
 APR 15 2002
 TECH CENTER 1600/2900

FORM PTO-1449 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT	DOCKET NO.: 71417/49138	SERIAL NO.: 09/961,128
	APPLICANT(S): Marianne Kearney, et al.	
	FILING DATE: September 21, 2001	GROUP NO.: 1646



UNITED STATES PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAM. INITIALS	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB-CLASS	TRANSLATION YES/NO

OTHER DOCUMENTS (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)

CA	T. Collins, et al., "Alternative RNA splicing affects function of encoded platelet-derived growth fact A chain," Nature, Vol. 328, August 13, 1987, pp. 621-624.
CB	P. Delli-Bovi, et al., "Processing, Secretion, and Biological Properties of a Novel Growth Factor of the Fibroblast Growth Factor Family with Oncogenic Potential," Molecular and Cellular Biology, Vol. 8, No. 7, July 1988, pp. 2933-2941
CC	G. Breier, et al., "Expression of vascular endothelial growth factor during embryonic angiogenesis and endothelial cell differentiation," Development, Vol. 114, 1992, pp. 521-532.
CD	J. Dulak, et al., "Gene Transfer of Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor and Endothelial Nitric Oxid Synthase-Implications for Gene Therapy in Cardiovascular Diseases," Polish Journal of Pharmacology, Vol. 51, No. 3, May-June 1999, pp. 233-241.
CE	T. Sugihara, et al., "A Novel Alternatively Spliced Form of Murine Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor, VEGF 115," The Journal of Biological Chemistry, Vol. 273, No. 5, January 30, 1998, pp. 3033-3038.

EXAMINER: 	DATE: 7/16/03
----------------------	-------------------------